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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>					Docket No. 14634	
Applicant(s): TETSUYA TAMURA, et al.						
Application No. 09/855,249	Filing Date May 15, 2001	Examiner Mary Dazhi Wang Cheung	Customer No. 23389	Group Art Unit 3621	Confirmation No. 9016	
Invention: <p style="text-align: center;"><b>REUSE SYSTEM AND REUSE CONTROL METHOD</b></p>						
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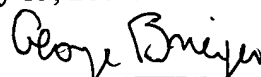
In response to the Office Action dated April 15, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 that the above-identified Application be amended as follows and that the Application be allowed.

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